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DETAILED ACTION

Requirement For Information - 37 USC § 1.105

I. Applicant and Assignee of this application are required under 37 CFR 1.105 to provide the following that the Examiner has determined is reasonably necessary to the examination of this application.

The Examiner's prior art search revealed a number of intervening references that have been asserted and rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a), see papers 4, 5 and 12 of Office Action dated May 31, 2007.

In response to this requirement, please provide:

A mark-up copy for the continuation in part (CIP) application showing the subject matter added.

Therefore, in response to this requirement, please provide a mark-up copy of the CIP showing the subject matter added to the parent case and state where specific support for the claimed subject matter in claims 1-21 are found, and from which specification, either the parent cases (09/074,034 and/or 09/234,780) or the instant application this support is found. See MPEP 704.11(a) and 37 CFR 1.105(a)(i)-(vii).

The information is required to identify where support is found for each claim such that the appropriate effective filing date will be afforded the individual claims as they might be supported from either the parent case(s) or as new matter that caused the filing of the instant CIP.

This requirement is necessary to examine the distinction between applicant's prior specifications and the instant application filed as a CIP.

This request is made in view of the prosecution history with arguments made by Applicant and will assist in determining whether uncovered references constitute prior art against specific claims.

This requirement is subject to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.134, 1.135 and 1.136 and has a shortened statutory period of **2** months. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Correspondence Information

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Steven Kau whose telephone number is 571-270-1120 and fax number is 571-270-2120. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F, 8:30am-5pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, King Poon can be reached on 571-272-7440. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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